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SEEN, HEARD AND TOLD

By W. W. WHITAKER
When he feels like it.

Our crop of new candidates, we are happy to say, makes up in quality for what it lacks in quantity. Only 3 this week: Will Harris Crowder for Chancery Clerk, Jim Elliott for Supervisor of Beat 5, and Squire Baker for reelection as JP of Beat One. Each has his own tale elsewhere in this issue.

After we were just about "made up", King Floyd got his name in the pot for Circuit Clerk.

The fellows heretofore reported as showing signs are still showing signs. Add to the sign-showers, Festus Mullen, now with Speck Davis' office, also add tha twoman Speck Davis hinted at.

This is Wednesday morning. Mabel has started a weekly task - getting a hold of Bill Hannan to get changes for the Oliver-Lilly weekly ad.

I have never yet marked off Jim Nail who has had the "fever" for about ten years.

See where Mrs. Bill Morris, now teaching at Gore Springs, has bought Ruth Garner's Quality Shop, a place started here by the late Mrs. Pete Embry.

See where Grenada is "in" for another big bond issue. Until I find out more about it, I am going to keep my mouth shut and, maybe, shut even after I find out about it. I heard hints about it several weeks ago.

Just saw a new announcement for Chancery Clerk. The announcer was J. T. Thomas and the date was Mar. 19, 1886. It appeared in the old Grenada Sentinel of that date.

Things are going to pick up here now with Tol Thomas, Byron Hunter, and Will Harris Crowder running for Chancery Clerk

I have been telling Jeff Staten that he had better begin claiming kin with those po' Perries. Believe there are more po' Perries than there are rich Perrys

The J. E. Goforth subscription from Big Creek was paid twice this week. The first check came in the mail and Mrs. O. L Clark came in personally and paid, but her check was returned by mail. Thanks.

At the time we neglected to mention it, but Mrs. James Russell Lockett is now getting the GCW in Meredian. We always like all the Locketts, but with respect to all of them, I liked James Russell, killed in a plane accident, best.

See where George McMurry who married one of Cowles Horton's daughters, is the circulation manager of the State Times, the newly started newspaper in Jackson.

Other newspaper news: The Pilot, a weekly newspaper, folded in Greenville.

In re all newspapers, I can say from experience that it is more than a notion starting a newspaper.

The folks starting the State Times in Jackson are bound to have both a lot of money and a lot of courage because they are going up against the Heddermans who have lots of money, lots of property and, better than that, are "dug in" the community. The Heddermans are smart dudes.

You hear from your friends in funny ways. For instance, we have been knowing Dorothy Baltrusch in Billings, Montana, many years, durall of of which time she has been getting the GCW, but I never saw her but once and then in San Diego. The other day, Betty Penn, who advertises some of Ebert's work in a big magazine, got a letter from Dorothy, ordering a set of pictures and adding to tell me hiddy. Hiddy, Dorothy. How many kids do you-all have now

Frank Morrison and Brother Mullen at the sheriff's office are continuing to show signs. Noel Staten at Oxberry is too, and so is Squire Pickle. Ben McElwrath aint dead yet, so lets not positively count him out.

Nearly all country newspapers have a columnist these days with the crap column on the first page, column 1. The George County Times, with Deedy Sellers pictured at the top, has the best looking picture in the state.

See Rice Pressgrove's name on the cash book, and I guess it will be in the announcement column soon.

BIG REVIVAL PLANNED BY BAPTISTS

The Baptist Churches of Grenada County are combining their efforts in one of the most tremendous revival efforts ever attempted in this area. Co-operating with nearly 30,000 Southern Baptist Churches most of the Baptist Churches in the county will be having evangelistic services during or around the period March 27 through April 10.

Various committees have been functioning for months under the leadership of Rev. Harry Kellogg, pastor of Emmanuel Baptist Church and Moderator of the Grenada County Baptist Association. Already a double-sided banner announcing the effort has been installed above main street.

Within the next few days five large outdoor advertising billboards will likewise remind motorists of the approaching "Baptist Simultaneous Revivals." Newspaper articles, enwspaper advertising, radio, placards, and many other media will be used to inform residents of the county what is in store

Since practically all of the Baptist Churches in the county (whether members of the Grenada Baptist Association or not) will be having revivals during this period, leaders are requesting civic, school, and other organizations to regulate their schedules so that everyone will have an opportunity to participate in this hoped-for spipritual awakening.

Future issues of this paper will carry detailed information as to the plans of each local church, as well as the county-wide plans.

Baptist Churches in Grenada County are: Bethel, Enon; Elliott; Grenada Central; Emmanuel, and First; Hardy Hebron; Hillside, Holcomb; Leflore; Pleasant Grove; Providence and the Futheyville Chapel of Emmanuel.

Small Negro Boys Is Highway Victim

Saturday afternoon, Feb. 12, as 3 small Negro boys were walking on the highway just west of the Yalobusha River bridge in Beat 5, one of the boys were struck by a car and killed. He was James Idward Scott, 5 year old son of John Henry and Effie Scott, tenants on Mrs. Lucy Scruggs farm. The driver of the car involved, Glendale Collins, of Calhoun County, stated that 2 boys were walking on one side of the road, and the victim of the accident on the opposite side. Just before he reached the trio the small boy decided to cross the road, and although Mr. Collins skidded his car and left the road in an effort to miss him, the child was killed. Ohe officers stated it was an unavoidable accident. The boy was buried at St. Peters cemetery at Oxberry Wednesday.

Mrs. Rook Thanks Co-Workers

Mrs. W. M. Rook, fund chairman, of Gore Springs March of Dimes, takes this mean of thanking all of her co-workers. Also special thanks to Mr. Bert Bays and Mr. Rogers Bell for their contributions to teenage party.

Mrs. Rook said: "I am proud to live in a community that has the kind of folks we hav ein ours."

"The Man — And The Moment"

The local chapter of Ladies Auxiliary to the Veterans of Foreign Wars invites you to hear the 2nd in a series of radio broadcasts over WNAG Sunday, Feb. 20 at 2 p. m. The subject this Sunday is "The fight to free the press" a story of how Thomas Jefferson risks all to preserve freedom.

City-Wide Religious Census To Be Taken Sunday

All of the Baptist churches in Grenada are cooperating in taking a Religious Census of the city and surrounding areas beginning Sunday afternoon, Feb. 20 at 2 p. m.

Workers from First Baptist, Emmanuel Baptist, Central Baptist and Enon and Elliott Baptist churches will meet at the First Baptist Church at 2 p. m. to receive instructions and assignments for the securing of information from residents. Everyone is asked to please cooperate in getting this important information. If you are not planning to be at home, please leave the information with a friend or neighbor. The census taking will continue throughout the week and will be completed by Sunday, Feb. 27.

If for any reason any resident does not wish anyone to call on them at their home, call telephone number 768, 839, or 1453 and give the information requested

People of Grenada To Vote On School Bond Issue

At the request of trustees of the Grenada City Schools, the board of councilmen Monday ordered an election for March 12th to see whether or not the citizens of Grenada will approve a bond issue of $375,000, the money to be used to improve the school plant in Grenada.

Folks here will hear a lot of this proposition between now and voting time, March 12.

Big Ovation For Mother Riley

Mrs. Joe Willie Riley was the guest speaker in the War Memorial Building for the Jackson, Mississippi Gold Star Mothers Wednesday a t11 a. m. She instructed the Gold Star Mothers on the responsibility facing them when they meet in New Orleans in April with Arkansas, Mississippi and Louisiana combined, will organize a state department. Since Mother Riley's impressive speech, the new officers to-be know what to expect. This will be Miss., Ark. and Louisiana's first state department. Mother Riley has been invited to attend this meeting. She was an honored guest at a luncheon Mother Riley was the guest speaker for the American Legion Auxiliary, Jackson, Miss. on Thursday, Feb. 10th at 7:30 p. m. Also made a short talk for the Legion at 9 p. m. Jackson has 2,000 members. Mother Riley got a big ovation. She has traveled from coast to coast, belongs to many clubs, which she was very active in Chicago. Also church work

An interesting speaker, Mother Riley is nationally known; has been guest of many mayor and governors; was an honored guest in Washington, D. C.; hadd tea with the senators and wives; was honored with many motor cycle police escorts.

In the last month she has received letters from Prime Minister Churchhill, London, England; Belguim; Bonez Aires, S. A.; the first lady, Mrs. Eisenhower; supreme judge; senators, Mayor Krielly of Chicago; Harold Pulter, who set the music to "Carolina Moon"; "Silver Threads Among the Gold", etc. Many authors, song writers, including the famous Roy Jacobson from Milwaukee, Wis. who wrote a song for Mrs. Riley titled "Mother Riley."

Mother Riley's son, Bob, has returner from overseas.

—L. E. James.

—P. T. A. Honors Past Presidents—

On Thursday, February 10th, a Founders ay program was held by Grenada Parent-Teachers Association and the honor guests were past presidents of the association.

Mrs. John Murchison, president, conducted the meeting held in the Elementary School Auditorium. Mrs. Sam Simmons Sr., who was president 1932-33, opened the meeting with a devotional. Her theme was "Ways by which we may solve problems of the modern home."

Mrs. Hugh Stanfill, secretary, read the minutes of preceding meeting.

Mrs. Bill Fedric, chairman of school improvement committee, reported that plans are underway to sod the grounds in front of the Elementary Building. Drinking fountains are to be installed at convenient places on the school ground. Mrs. W. A. McCool, program committee, introduced the past presidents, after giving a brief history of Grenada PTA.

The meeting closed with a social hour at which refreshments were served. Mrs. John Keeton gave the responsive address for the past presidents. Past presidents were:

Mrs. F. T. Gerard, Mrs. J. B. Perry Sr., Mrs. Donald Ross, Sr, Mrs. J. E. Lufkin; Mrs. Mary Upshaw Jones, Mrs. Sam Simmons Sr., Mrs. John T. Keeton, Mrs. Rogers Pleasants; Mrs. pleasants completed term for Mrs. Dick Smith; Mrs. W. A. McCool, Mrs. C. C. Richardson, Mrs. O. R. Lilly; Mrs D. O. Carlisle; Mrs. Winfred Carter; Mrs Griffis Meek; Mrs. Andrew Whitaker, Mrs. N. R. Paschal; Mrs. J. G. Bingham; Mrs. John T. Murchison.

GRENADA COUNTY "FARM OF THE WEEK"

Number 41 In A Series of 52

—This Series Sponsored by Jitney-Jungle, Grenada.

If this is YOUR farm, you can get, without charge, a nicely mounted picture of the farm, but you must come to the Grenada County Weekly and identify it.

While you are in the GCW office, we hope to interview you and get a story, for subsequent publication, about this property and about your family.

If you need other photographs of the above, either the size shown, or larger, or on postal cards, the GCW can, and will arrange for them. A reasonable charge of course, will be made for these reproductions. Let us show you samples.

This Is Indeed OLD News!

Looking thru the 1886-1887 files of the old Grenada Sentinel, we found many items such as:

Tol Thomas was a candidate for Chancery Clerk, and that Misses Annie Hall and Bell Thomas were Water Valley visitors, and that Messrs Will Mitchell and Eddie Peacock had just got back from school in Culleko, Tenn., and that E. A. Meaders had a card asking folks who owed him to come in, and that Skiff's opera company would be at Mullin Hall Saturday, and that Misses Donna Turner and Olive Smith had paid a visit to friends at Hardy Station, and that the Robert Doak home was giving a social for their daughter, Miss Robbie Doak, and that Postmaster R. N. Hall was advertising for the owners of some unclaimed letters.

Kiwanis Club Present Aunt Jemima Breakfast Again

The enjoyable breakfast of Aunt Jemima pancakes, and all the trimmings of last year is well remembered here, and on Saturday, Feb. 19th the Kiwanis Club again invites you to the City Hall where Aunt Jemima will spend the whole day serving all the pancakes you can eat for 50c. Hours 5:30 a. m. to 8 p. m. Tickets are now on sale.

Irvin Johnson is general chairman, Mitchell Lundy, chairman of tickets, Al Gully, chairman of food; Clarance Holloman, house arrangement chairman and B. W. Henderson is chairman of publicity.

The proceeds will go to charity sponsored by the Kiwanis Club.

a little son, William Keith, for Marine Pfc and Mrs. W. L. Simmons at Grenada Hospital on Sunday, Feb. 13. He is their 2nd child. Paternal grand parents are Mr. and Mrs. Jack Simmons of Grenada and maternal grand parents are Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Carmicheal of Big Creek.

Pfc Simmons returned from duty in Africa on Sat., Feb. 12th and will receive his discharge from Camp Quantico, near Washington, D. C. and expects to be home this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Elige Rose of Austin, Texas were dinner guests Friday at the M. H. Ingram home. They had attended the funeral of Mr. Jim Shaw, father of Mrs. Rose, on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roshwell of Memphis visited in the L. C. Cohea home last Sunday.

Other Candidates Enter Rat Race

W. H. Crowder In Race For Chancery Clerk

I wish to annotince at this time my candidacy for Chancery Clerk of Grenada County, Mississippi.

To those of you who do not know me I would say that I was born and raised in Grenada County and the son of the late Will H. Crowder, who served the county as Sheriff two terms during my boyhood I graduated from Grenada High School and received B. S. degree in Civil Engineering from Miss. State College in 1926. I am now 50 years old, married and have two children; a daughter 17 and a son 10 years of age. I have been a life long member of the Presbyterian Church, and am a member of the Kiwanis Club and a Mason.

I am fully aware of the responsibilities of the office of Chancery Clerk and feel that my experience qualifies me to serve as Clerk of Chancery Court, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors, County Auditor, County Recorder of land and personal property, and disburses of all funds for the County from County funds as authorized by the Board of Supervisors, and other duties assigned to the Chancery Clerk.

It will be my endeavor to see each and everyone of you personally before election and your vote and influence will be greatly appreciated.

Sincerely,
W. H. Crowder

H. K. "King" Floyd, Seeks Circuit Clerk's Office

To The Voters Of Grenada and Grenada County

I wish to announce my candidacy for the Circuit Clerks office, subject to the Democratic Primary on August 9. I have had considerable experience serving the public. I feel like that experience will qualify me better to be your public servant.

I am not a stranger in Grenada County, having lived here the past thirty years. I have friends all over Grenada County. Ask your friends about me.

I sincerely solicit your vote and influence.

Sincerely yours,
H. K. "King" Floyd

Bryan Baker Seeks Re-election As J. P. — Beat One

To The Voters Of District One Grenada County:

Again I am placing my name for your consideration for the office of Justice of the Peace.

Having had a term of experience in this office, I feel that I can make you a good and better servant.

The qualifications for service in this capacity can be attested by the record.

If you can see fit to support me for a second term I can assure you of my deep appreciation.

"Justice of Peace To All",
Bryan Baker.

Jim Elliott of Beat Five Seeks Another Term

To the People Of Beat Five:

I am a candidate for Supervisor of Beat Five.

I served you in this office for sixteen (16) years, and you know me. You know the record I made, and I feel that a long statement is not necessary. When I quit the office four years ago, I left $12,062.33 in the Beat Five Road Fund.

If elected, I will give you the same economical and efficient service that I always tried to render when I served you from 1936 to 1952. I will appreciate your support.

Sincerely, J. L. Elliott.

Ed. Note: It is hardly necessary to seek to introduce to the people of Beat Five the name of Jim Elliott. The writer, a native of Beat Five, and, not excepting himself who was supervisor there one time, is bound to say that Jim Elliott was the best supervisor Beat Five ever had and that statement, indeed, should be considered a high recommendation to the man.

Polio Drive Was Very Successful; Quota Exceeded

Felix Underwood congratulated Miss Bea Feltus, chairman of Grenada Co. March of Dimes for 1955, and thanked her and her committees for the splendid work they did in the nationfight on polio.

Grenada Counties' report was the first complete report to reach the state headquarters.

Grenada County net receipts totaled $7,682.92 and one half of this amount was sent to national foundation and one-half was retained by the local chapter.

—Mack McCord Graduates—

Marine Pfc Mack McCord, Jr., son of Mrs. Edna McCord of 426 Nhird St. Grenada, and husband of the former Miss Lavonne McCalop of Holcomb, graduated in January from the 2nd Marine Division's Clerical School at the Marine Corps base at Camp Lejeune, N. C..

The six-weeks course covered typing and administration.

Mrs. Earl Marter and baby are visiting relatives in Jackson

Miss Patty Sledge is a patient at Grenada Hospital.

THE BIBLE SPEAKS

International Uniform Sunday School Lessons

BY DR. KENNETH J. FOREMAN

Scripture: Matthew 3:13-17, 26:26-28, 28:19-20; Acts 2:38-41; 10:34-48; 1 Corinthians 11:23-29.
Devotional Reading: Romans 6:1-11.

In Remembrance

Lesson for February 20, 1955

THE words printed on this page are not like the things they refer to, they are not the same size, color or shape. Yet every one who can read these black marks on white paper is reminded at once of what they stand for. A flag is not the same color or size as the country; yet every child in school knows what the flag means. So it is with those two simple observances of the Christian church, baptism and the Lord's Supper. Some churches call these "ordinances"; most call them "sacraments." Quarrels over the right way to perform these, quarrels about their precise meaning, make up one of the darkest chapters of church history. Yet in every church these two symbols remain. Christians everywhere share the experience of baptism. If you, reading these lines, are a Christian, then no doubt some time or other you have been baptized. Baptism is the Ceremony of Initiation, the Lord's Supper is the Ceremony of Remembrance.

Dr. Foreman

—Of His Death

Leaving the quarrels aside, what is it the church universal believes about the Lord's Supper? The least that can be said of it is that it is "in remembrance" of Christ. (For that matter, so is baptism; but there is scarcely room here to speak of both of these.) We remember the death of Christ, first of all. "Ye do show the Lord's death . . ." How often Christians have heard those solemn words! For the bread is not neatly sliced, it is broken. The wine is not bottled up, it is poured out. Broken bread and poured-out wine take the worshipper back to a certain night in an upper room in Palestine, when around the table 11 anxious men heard for the first time those immortal words, "This is my body, broken for you . . . This do in remembrance of me." They take us back to the afternoon of the first Good Friday, when upon the stones of the place called Golgotha dripped the lifeblood of one who was pouring out his life "a ransom for many."

—Of His Coming

It is the Lord's Supper is in memory of Christ, but it is also a reminder of the future. "Till He Come" — the words are heard at communion everywhere in the Christian world. What do they mean? The least they can mean is that Christians look forward as well as back. The world will not go on and on and on forever and ever just the same. The hope of Christians that "the kingdoms of the world will become the kingdoms of our Lord and his Christ" will not always be only a hope. Christ has died for men; that is the memory the church keeps alive. Christ will reign over men from a throne of love: that is the hope the church will not give up. Christians have differed and will keep on differing as to just how this hope is going to be fulfilled. But the church believes with all her heart—Christ will win! He is not doomed to lose forever. And every communion gives testimony to this hope—"till he come."

—Of His Living Progress

The churches of the world, more's the pity, are so far from agreeing about what the communion of our Lord's Supper means, that even in a great gathering like that of the World Council of Churches, not every one feels free to take communion with all the others. Nevertheless, with all the differences, in every form of the Lord's Supper, in every church, there is the conviction that Christ is more than a memory, more than a hope. He is real; he is here. Clear at the heart of the Christian conviction about the meaning of the Lord's Supper is the feeling that in this simple rite He is really present. Across all the centuries he comes to be with those who love him. Past, present, future, all unite in the burning moment. The open heart receives the unseen Guest, and peace comes as never the world gives peace, to hush the fears and heal the sorrows of the soul. Theologians may go on debating as to how it is, how it can be true. But the simple Christian does not need to study many books for some explanation of what in his heart he has learned is true. If some one asks who was at communion this morning, the first thing the remembering heart can say is not, I was there, or my neighbor was there; but—he was there. And he has come home with me!

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EDITORIALS

All Exemptions Should Be Abolished

Faced as the state is with unprecedented expenses for the big task of meeting the segregation qustion, all of the exemptions, now on the tax books should be abolished. That includes homestead exemptions and all other exemptions.

The basic law of the state says that all property shall be taxed in accordance with its value.

The state would quickly return to sanity if everything was taxed according to its value.

I am sure that I am like all others, in that I get all of the exemptions the law allows me, but that does not make it right for me, or anybody else to evade the burden toted by all my neighbors, not enjoying such exemptions.

A law, stating that "from and after date, all tax exemptions, of whatever nature, are hereby abolished", would go a long ways toward obtaining sanity in our tax structure.

For instance, we pay an electric bill in the country, and another here in town. There is no sales tax on the former bill, but regular taxes on the latter. We have a home, and our neighbor rents his home. My home is exempt from taxes, while my neighbor indirectly pays taxes on his rented home. Of course, he pays taxes by paying additional rent.

This exemption business just dont make sense.

Importance Of The IC To Grenada

I hardly think that the statement, "The IC System is the biggest institution in Grenada", would be questioned by those who have been here to see it increase its payroll, extend its service and put on more and better trains, nor would it be questioned by those who look over the shoulders of the county and city tax collectors to see what a vast contribution the system makes to the community in local taxes.

While Grenada has expanding railroad service, both freight and passenger, some of its neighbors, like Calhoun City, and, most recently Columbus, has no railroad service at all.

One could play on this string indefinitely in seeking to remind our people of how great this mid-continental system is to this community.

In Re Candidates

Some tell us we are not giving the candidates a big enough send-off, that we ought to blow them up because that is all a majority will get out of the campaign. Surely not, a campaign out to be worth the equal of a course in psychology, say nothing of a study in human nature, fortitude, temperance, etc. Then too we've got to live with ourselves. We try to do and act so that when we go home at night we can lie down and sleep the sleep of one who has not harmed his fellowman by over emphasizing or exaggerating his virtues to the degree that his wife doesn't even know him. —Calhoun County Journal.

Some of our best fishermen are in Hot Springs this week, getting their feet clean. I mention the sage fisherman and merchant, Louie Friedman, now staying at the Majestic, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dattel, pretty sorry fishermen, staying at the Arlington. Louie usually registers at some cheap joint and loafs at either the Majestic or Arlington.

When Grady Carroll came in last week to pay his stud fee, I forgot to tell him that he had better break a leg or badly wrench his back. You see he is running for Circuit Clerk, an office notoriously held here by men who are physically handicapped in some way.

Back yonder a while, there was a lot of talk about the elongated Ben McElwrath getting into some kind of political race but nothing has been heard of him in that respect in several months.

Brother J. E. Carners of Little Texas was in Saturday and got six months subscription. I dont know much about him, but his money spends well.

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What is it?

The high point of the old steamboat days was the race up the Mississippi in 1870 between the "Robert E. Lee" and the "Natchez." It was won by the Lee. Now-a-days the river is far more important as a freight carrier than it was in the brightest days of the steamboat.

there's no doubt about the importance of the beer industry in Mississippi. Wholesalers and retailers have a $29 milion investment here . . . employing over 16,295 Mississippians . . . and the beer industry is the fourth largest taxpayer in the State, paying over $4 million a year. It is largely through public acceptance of legally regulated beer, as the beverage of moderation, that beer has grown in importance to Mississippi.

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UPPER LEFT: New dial switching equipment like this was installed at Cleveland and other points in the State last year. UPPER RIGHT: This tower atop the Main Exchange Building in Jackson is one of a series of towers in the Atlanta to Dallas radio relay system which reached Jackson in 1954; will be extended to Dallas this year. LOWER RIGHT: At Roxie in August, little Deborah Higginbotham, Lyda Grace Mullins and Ann Whitehead closed the switch to start rural dial telephone service over new facilities there. Watching them (left to right) are R. N. Scott, Grady Sargent, Erle Breiden and Henry Grady Turner.

1954 Greatest Year Of Last Seven For Telephone Expansion In State

JACKSON—Telephone expansion and improvement in Mississippi made great strides ahead during 1954—in fact, it was the greatest year for telephone development in the State since 1948. This was pointed out by Henry Grady Turner, General Manager for the Southern Bell Telephone and Telegraph Company in Mississippi, who stated there was a net gain of over 17,000 telephones in the State during the past year.

According to Mr. Turner this brings the total number of Southern Bell Telephones in the State to more than 275,000 as of December 31, 1954, or 2½ times the 115,876 telephones serving Mississippians when the company's stepped-up program of expansion and improvement began in December, 1945.

"Our total expenditure for all types of plants in Mississippi during 1954," Mr. Turner stated, "exceeded 11½ million dollars. Most of this was construction and improvement money which had to be secured from people with dollars they were willing to invest in telephone property.

"In adding those 17,000 new telephones last year," Mr. Turner continued, "we installed an average of 350 more telephones a month than we installed in 1953, which was a good year, too. Then we filled 1830 more "move" orders during the average month of 1954 than during the average month of 1953."

Mr. Turner pointed out that the big job done by the telephone company in Mississippi last year required many thousands of manhours of labor as well as vast quantities of material of all kinds.

Among the major items added were: over 14,000 exchange poles; more than 230 miles of aerial cable; 99 miles of underground cable and 42,000 miles of exchange aerial wire. In addition, 648 additional miles of Right-of-way were contracted for and cleared to make way for new telephone lines.

Dial Conversions

New exchange buildings were built at various points in the State and fitted with modern dial equipment. Among the more important of these were in the communities of Cleveland, Waynesboro, Ruleville and Drew where improvement projects were completed to provide modern dial telephone service for over 5600 subscribers.

Work was started, too, on dial conversions at Clarksdale, Lula, Sumner, Tutwiler and Poplarville where the new facilities will be put in service this year.

At Quitman and Monticello, additional exchange equipment was installed to take care of this fast-growing area. New facilities were completed at McClain and a new exchange is being established at Beaumont.

Held Applications

The number of applications for new telephones held in Southern Bell offices throughout the State at the beginning of 1954 for lack of material, equipment and time was 10,136. During the past twelve months, by means of redoubled efforts on the part of telephone forces, the number was reduced to 4391.

Not included in the above figures were some 1500 additional requests for service which resulted from a special canvass by telephone people at points where service was provided without delaying service requests.

Rural

1954 was a good telephone year, too, in the rural field with new projects completed in all parts of the State to give Mississippians in rural areas an additional 6287 telephones to reach a new total of 47,720 rural subscribers by the year's end. That's approximately 5-3/4 times as many as the 8335 subscribers in Mississippi at the end of 1945.

Total cost of telephone improvement and expansion completed during 1954 in the rural areas of the State, according to General Manager Turner, exceeded $2,000,000. This brings the total spent for rural telephone expansion in the State in the period from 1946 to 1954 to more than 17 million dollars!

Among the places making news during the year, because of rural telephone projects were Natchez, Greenville, Clarksdale, Mendenhall, Ripley, Smithdale, Lorman, Coldwater, Senatobia, Marks, Magnolia, McComb, Pontotoc, New Albany, Hernando, Independence, Roxie, Pearlington, Logtown, Corinth and Eupora.

Rural Dial Units

Seven of the above named communities are now served by rural dial switching units. Those places are Smithdale, connected to the exchange at McComb; Independence, which works out of Coldwater; Lorman, from the Port Gibson exchange, Roxie, connected with Fayette's exchange; Hamilton, which is a part of the Aberdeen exchange; Toomsuba, out of Meridian and Logtown, which is joined with Bay St. Louis.

New Numbering System

A new numbering system known as the 2-5 system was introduced at several points in the State last year and will be extended to other cities early this year. The new system, which makes use of the first two letters of an office name, such as MAin, and five numerals for dialing, is part of a nationwide numbering system designed to pave the way for continuing improvements in long-distance service.

This new numbering plan is being used in connection with the new exchange at Cleveland to which 3384 telephones are connected. Other places where it has been assigned are Wiggins, with 831 telephones; Drew, with 758 and Ruleville, with 622.

The system was extended also during the year to several cities served by independent telephone companies, such as Bay Springs, Byhalia, Olive Branch, Calhoun City and Slate Springs, where approximately 3000 telephones have been assigned the 2-5 numbers.

New Materials

Introduced in the State during 1954 was a new 6-pair type wire known as "B" Rural Distribution Wire. This wire consists of 6 pairs of neoprene insulated wires wound around a core of single strand extra-strength steel wire. It is proving of practical value in some of our sparsely populated rural areas.

Adding to Mississippi's Prosperity

By the end of 1954, there were 4500 employees of the telephone company in Mississippi. These employees and their families would make a good-sized town. These employees received $14,968,000 in salaries and wages during 1954 and most of this sum was spent in the State for rent, food, clothing, services of all kinds and other items.

This is in addition to the 11½ million dollars expended by Southern Bell for new construction in the State, and large sums spent for materials used in repairs and maintenance of telephone lines and exchange equipment in the State.

Most of this construction money and maintenance money, as well, was spent in Mississippi, making an important addition to the State's growing prosperity.

During 1954, taxes per telephone in Mississippi averaged $2.03 per month. This does not include the excise taxes which the company is required to collect from customers and pay to government authorities. These taxes help to support schools, highways, law enforcement and activities of the city, county and state government.

Outdoor Booths

Considerable attention was given during 1954 to the extension of service to the public by means of outdoor booths with coin-operated telephones, so there are few communities in the State without this convenient 24-hour-a-day means of communication. A newly developed all-aluminum booth is proving most satisfactory for this out-of-doors-in-all-weather service.

Credit Cards

Many people who travel are availing themselves nowadays of Bell System Credit Cards by means of which one may place a call anywhere and have it charged to their home number, thus eliminating the need for cash or records. This service may be secured through one's local telephone office.

Directories

Most of the State's telephone directories were being printed in lighter, more readable type at the beginning of 1954 and during the year 90 per cent of the type in the 5 oldest classified directories had also received this treatment. The use of the new cover design began last August and will be extended as rapidly as possible to all of the State's telephone directories.

All together 398,750 copies of 73 directories were printed last year for Mississippi telephone customers.

Citations

In the course of their daily work, telephone people are given the opportunity to serve telephone customers in unusual ways not connected with their regular duties. The Company offers the Vail Medals and citations and cash awards to encourage employees to make the most of such opportunities. Mississippi employees of Southern Bell receiving citations and cash awards last year for service beyond the call of duty were: Mrs. Helen May of Belzoni and Mrs. Pauline Harlow and Mrs. Levonne McCord, both of Grenada.

Local and Social Activities

Mrs. W. W Whitaker, Society Editor, Phone 83 and 747

Delayed from Last Week

BIRTHDAY SURPRISE PARTY

Mrs. Irene Shannon of Lake Cormorant, guest here of her sister, Mrs. Grover Long, planned a small party, as a surprise on Mrs. Long's birthday, in her honor last Wednesday evening.

After singing "Happy Birthday to You" and presenting gifts, the guests played Samba. Following the games strawberry ice cream and cake was served to Mesdames W. H. Felts, J. D. Quinn, Madge Angevine, Sax Weir, A. D. Collins and Miss Rose Mary Thompson, Mrs. Shannon and the honoree.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Staten are spending two weeks at Hot Springs, Ark. They left Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Rasberry and children and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Brewer and daughter of Memphis spent the past weekend here with Mr. and Mrs. John Taylor.

BRIDGE CLUB MEI

On Thursday afternoon of last week Mrs. E. L. Wilkins entertained club members and several non-member guests at bridge. At the conclusion of games, refreshments were served to Mesdames J. A. Meredith, John Bradley, A. M. Carothers, Clayton Carpenter, A. M. Moore, D. G. Ross and H. W. Baker and the hostess.

Mrs .Ray Dowdle has returned from a weekend trip to Waco Texas to visit her son Billy Ray Dowdle who is in the air force. She drove Billy's car out there and returned to Memphis by plane Sunday afternoon.

SURPRISE PARTY

Miss Mary Elizabeth McNeil who has devoted so much of her time and personal attention to Scouts and their various activities, was delightfully surprised on Saturday evening when Girl Scouts, Brownies and their several leaders complimented her at a surprise shower at her home.

The Scout and Brownie presidents and leaders met at the home of Miss Mae Caldwell at 7 o'clock and then went to Miss McNeil's new apartment home.

Miss McNeil, always equal to any occasion, although surprised, quickly adjusted her home to the guests comfort and seated at a table, opened the many lovely surprise gifts.

Later in the evening, Miss Caldwell assisted by Dian Dubard served fudge squares and cake to the group.

Mrs .D. M. Taylor returned last Friday from a months visit with her two daughters, Mrs. James McKee and family at Arlington, Va. and Mrs. Jack Camp and family at Silver Springs, Md.

Mr. Charles Lake and Miss Estelle Lake of Memphis spent Sunday here with their aunt, Miss Adele Hoffa at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Hoffa, Jr.

Miss Robbie Doak who visited her sister Mrs. J. P. Fisher and family in Jonestown for two weeks is now visiting in the home of her nephew, Mr. John S. King and family in Memphis.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Acee and daughter, Cynthia of Sulligent, Mrs. Elgin Pipkin and Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Banke and daughter, Joy, of Memphis spent Sunday here with their mother and grandmother, Mrs. J. L. Acee who celebrated her birthday on that day.

Atty. and Mrs. Brad Dye and Cas Heath Jr. and Walter Garner Jr. were among the guests attending the Pi Kappa Alpha dance Saturday night at Ole Miss. Brad Dye Jr. is president of that fraternity.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Orr spent last week as guests of Mrs. Orr's brother, Mr. Walton Todd and family in Ft. Worth, Texas. While there they attended the Rodeo, and incidentally saw the Grenada County Clear Creek Ranch banner displayed at the show.

Mr. W. L. "Red" Martin and Patsy have returned to Grenada to reside after living in Greenville. Mrs. Martin and their other daughter will remain in Greenville until school is out over there. Mrs. Martin is employed there, but she and their daughter will spend the weeks ends here with Mr. Martin and Patsy.

Misses Margaret, Willie and Katie Cuff and their brother, Mr. Jim Cuff spent Monday and Tuesday in Memphis.

SEEN, HEARD & TOLD BY THE EDITOR

I heard somebody say that the Zoders were gallivanting around in Southern California. Aint it grand to be rich.

Wonder how H. K. Barwick is getting along in Wynne, Arkansas.

I heard over the television that Red Taylor was going to get into the rat race in Beat 4.

Tale-teller Bryan Baker has already got into that race as of Monday. As a matter of fact, I dont think he ever did quit running.

Wonder what's happened to John Bull and Pop Costilow.

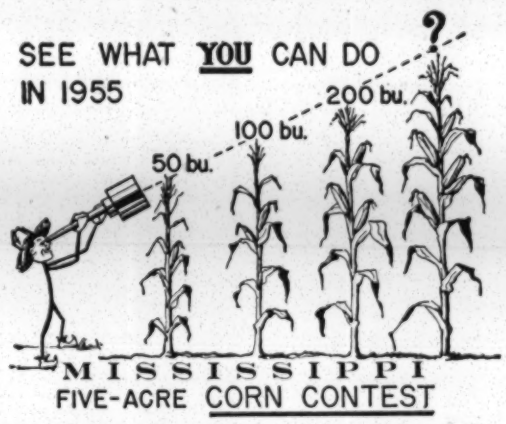
We regret that Al Gully's ad is not with us any more. He came in peace and went off in peace. In the meantime he did what he said he would do, and we did the same. Anytime he wants to return, he is welcome and in the meantime we will have more space for news and candidates.

I see from the C. of C. bulletin that Virginia Hubbard is now the manager of the group. Congratulations to both her and the members.

Pop Costilow, Jr., now in New Orleans, sent in his annual dues this week.

I'll say one thing about the Darras brothers. Each knows how to pick out a good-looking wife.

Mabel and I have tried to fish 3 or 4 times a week ever since Thanksgiving Day, and to date, we have not got a bite. We are about to agree to wait until the fish start biting, but that would be so long.



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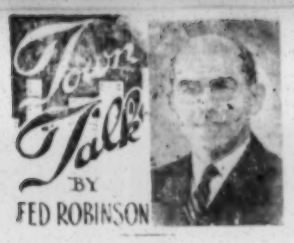

The young preacher thrilled his congregation with his first sermon - a challenge to "gird their loins" for Christian service and living. Then to their dismay, he preached the same sermon the following Sunday. When he confronted them with the same ringing message on the third Sunday, his flock felt something must be done. "Don't you have more than just one sermon?" blurted a spokesman to the pastor. "Oh yes" he said quietly. "I have quite a number, but you haven't done anything about the first one yet."

Well, the preacher was dealing with something quite common with all of us. It is said we remember only about 10 percent of what we hear, but will retain about 90 percent of what we see AND hear, and thats the reason we have so many visual aids we use in teaching salesmen how to sell. Many times I have discovered that a group of men will remember practically nothing at all of an hour's long lecture on the sales process, but will remember for days every little picture shown to them in connection with the talk. Thats one reason television advertising is about 10 times more expensive than radio advertising. What people SEE they will remember but what they hear only goes in one ear and right out the other one. Schools have finally endorsed and are using visual aids in teaching all manner of subjects with wonderful advantages and we see no reason why churches couldn't do likewise. Of course many of our preachers will frown if and when they read this, knowing well enough how difficult it would be to pipeturize some of the high-fli'uten sermons we hear. But it does seem large still pictures illustrating the Bible scenes our preachers talk about upon occasions would be interesting and helpful to our understanding, and would not be a weakening toward standardization.

Has a salesman called you this week? Well, when he does here is something to remember we found in a magazine recently. "We can have recessions quick as a wink if the salesmen fail down." Because the article says 40 to 50 percent of everything we consume in this country is for the luxury class in the sense that we could get by or dispense with for a considerable length of time if the occasion arose. It goes to reason that [illegible] consideration for [illegible] the country [illegible] little [illegible] standard of [illegible] we enjoy they are pretty [illegible] all you know them. My [illegible] improves for employment only about 5 percent of those who apply for employment and that ought to prove that just everyone you meet on the streets are not qualified to be salesmen.

You will have forgotten 1955 Valentine's Day by the time you see this about Thursday, February 17th) but we saw a very interesting Valentine card the other day sent to a young lady by her future husband in the year of 1877, which this young lady now 91 - has kept all these seventy seven years, and the old fashioned handwriting is just about as plain now as then on the lacey litt'e card which this fine old lady fondly displayed. Recently we wrote something about SENTIMENE and being so full of it all the time,, we may write more about it in the future because how else would we maintain the essential "care-for" attitude toward people and things if we were devoid of sentiment.

—Fed.

Mrs. C. N. McCool of Kosciusko was the guest Tuesday and Wednesday in the home of her daughter Mrs. O. H. Middleton. On Wednesday, her grandson little Tommy Middleton celebrated his first birthday with all the extra fixings" including a cake and candle. Group shots were made as the honoree clamped chubby fingers into the cake, baked especially for him.

Mrs. Della Moore of Crystal Springs spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. George Leverette and family. Guests of th Leverettes on Sunday included Mr. and Mrs. Joe Phillips of Indianola, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hammitt and sons, Greenwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Leverette of Duck Hill, Mrs. Mary E. Lewis, Miss Nanie C. Lewis of Tie Plant and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hammitt and sons of Greenwood visited Mrs. Annie Leverette on Sunday.

Little Michael Trussell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Trussell has been ill in his home here for several days.

Mrs. Mollie James of Gore Springs Rt. 1, in Webster County spent last week recuperating from flu in the home of her sister, Mrs. Maggie Chamberlain. Both Mrs. James and her daughter, Alma James were recent patients in Grenada Hospital.

On Saturday and Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Cooley and family of Greenwood and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Chamberlain of Grenada visited Mr and Mrs. Roy Chamberlain and Janie.

Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Spratlin Jr. and son, Mr. and Mrs. James Trussell and sons, Batesville; Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Trussell and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Trussell and daughter of Grenada visited during the week end with their patents and grandparents Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Trussell.

Mr. and Mrs. Winfred Worsham and Martha Ann Worsham of Holmes Jr. College spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Talford Worsham and attended the sub-regional tournament in Gore Springs gym on Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rutledge and three children of Clinton visited Mr. and Mrs. Homer Trussell and Homer Dale Sundya. Mrs. Rutledge is the daughter of Mr. Henry Trussell of Itta Bena, formerly of Gore Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Vance and children drove over from Slate Springs Sunday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Jack Clanton, Wayne and Susy Clanton.

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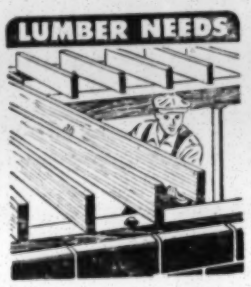

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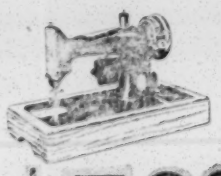

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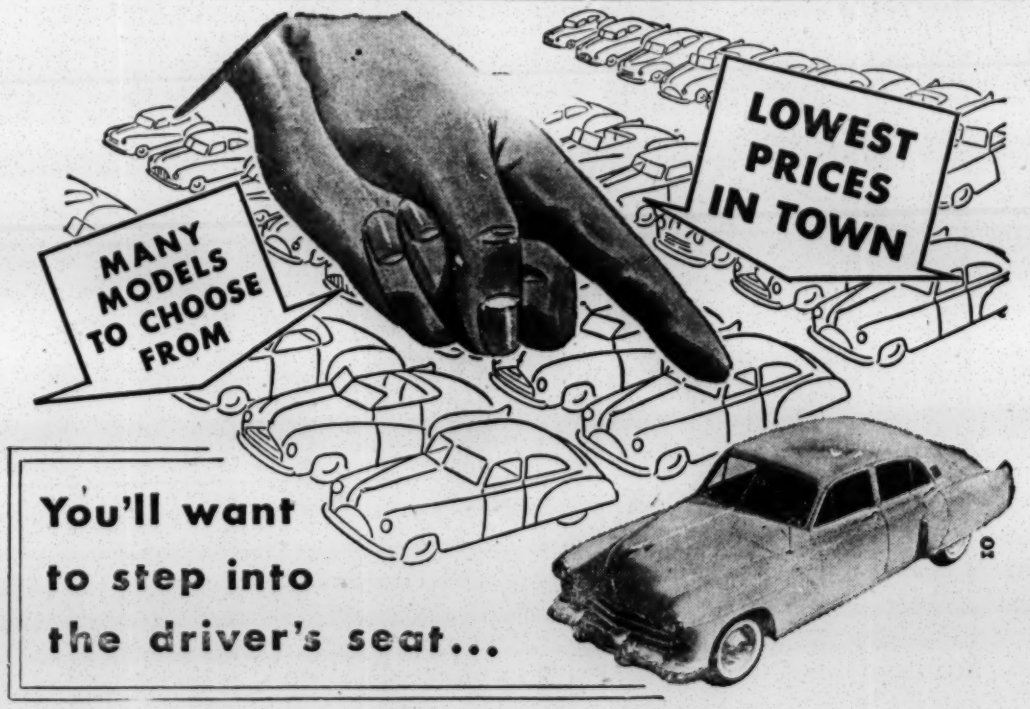

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CLUB HOLDS INTERESTING PROGRAM MEETING

The Twentieth Century Club met Tuesday afternoon at the Monte Cristo for one of the most interesting programs of the club year.

Mrs L. E. Noble, president, presided and Mesdames E. L. Wilkins and A. M. Carothers were hostesses.

On program were Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Hardy who gave first hand information on their travels during the summer of 1954 in Scandinavia, and in the low countries. Mrs. Hardy spoke first, telling of the beauty and dignity of Norway, Sweden and Denmark. She displayed native dolls and a Christmas plate souvenir. Her description of the luxury and granduer of castles, hotels and ships and the beauty of the landscape was so perfect that her talk will live long in the memory of her audience.

Mr. Hardy spoke on the countries of Belguim, Netherlands and Luxemburg giving a most graphic review of their travels through these countries. Both Mr. and Mrs. Hardy received enthusiastic applause and were thanked for bringing to the club such an interesting program.

After the program closed, pecan pie and coffee were served.

Non-member guests present were Mesdames O. R. Lilly Sr., F. S. Hill, Roberta Burkley and Misses Eva Ray and Mary Carothers and Mr. Hardy.

Mrs. Leon Suprun and two little daughters, Sharon and Gayle of Mays Landing, N. J. are here visiting their brothers, Junius Townes and family and Jack Townes and family, also their mother and grandmother, Mrs. Rebecca Townes. Mrs. Suprun, remembered here as Ruth Townes, and her mother, and the children will leave this weekend for 2 months stay in Miami, Fla. They are house guests of Mr. and Mrs. Junius Oownes on Margin St.

MISS McNEIL FETED

On Monday evening Miss Mary Elizabeth McNeil was the honoree at a surprise shower, given her at her apartment home. About 40 of her friends met at the home of Miss Mae Caldwell and went to Miss McNeil's apartment at 7:30.

She was literally showered with gifts of lovely china, linen, kitchen utensils and personal gifts.

Alexander Studio made pictures of the party.

The friends who planned the surprise for Mary Ilizabeth also served refreshments

ATTEND BANQUET AND SALE

Mr. and Mrs. F R. Lickfold, Mrs. Carl Peeples Jr. and Mrs. Marie Potera attended the banquet at Hotel Peabody in Memphis Sunday night at which time guests and patrons of the 14th Annual Polled Hereford sale of Circle M Ranch of Senatobia were feted. Persons from 30 states attended the sale and many were at the banquet.

The sale on Monday was an outstanding national event. The top bull was sold for $25,000 to Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Knowlton of Bellefountaine Ohio. Top heifer brought $7,700, purchased by Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Whearley of Fort Wayne, Ind. A total of $243,900 was paid for 50 head of cattle.

Mr. Lickfold attended the sale on Monday in Senatobia. A crowd of 2,500 persons attended the sale.

Mississippi is proud that Circle M Ranch of Senatobia excells in the nation in polled hereford culture.

Mrs. Herbert Howard of Charleston, S. C. is visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Jonnson at Tie Plant while her husband is attending to business at Terarkana

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Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Daigle from Horseheads, N. Y. were guests here last weekend of Rev. J. M. Frye.

Mrs. W. B. Harris of Lucy, Tenn. is at the bedside at Grenada Hospital, of her sister, Mrs. Arthur Williams of Holcomb, who underwent surgery on Monday.

PRES. OF KOPPERS CO. DEAD

Employees of Koppers Co. were sad dened over the news of the death of Gen. Brehon Somervell, chairman of the board and president of Koppers Co. who died suddenly at his Florida home, Sunday, February 13.

General Somervell ,well known throughout this area, was one time district engineer at Memphis. He was a native of Little Rock, Ark.

Mrs. D. G. Ross, Sr. and Mrs. H. W. Baker went to Memphis Tuesday to meet Mrs. Ross' mother, Mrs. W.

OLIVIA KING HAS BIRTHDAY PARTY

Last Sunday afternoon, February 13 at 3:00 o'clock, friends gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Allen King, honoring their daughter, Olivia, on her second birthday. Hats and horns were given to the little guests as they arrived.

Toys and games were placed about the house so the children could enjoy them. Birthday balloons and crepe paper streamers decorated the dining alcove. The table was overlaid with a lace cloth and centered with the tiered birthday cane. Olivia received many lovely gifts.

Ice cream cones were served to: Young Misses Linda Lee Taylor, Teal Richardson, Jan Scarbrough Laura Jane Williams, Peggy Thornton and Nancy Carlson, and to young Masters: Bill Hunt, Glenn Alan Pierce, Edwin Benoist and Mike Collins all of Grenada and to yuong Misses Corinne McKee Lucy Moorhead, Suzanne Curry and young Mesars Ronnie McKee and Steve Webb of Holcomb and Sammy, Joe and Craig Norris of Duncan.

Mothers present were Mesdames Jerry Taylor, Chalmers Richardson, Bardy Scarbrough, George Thornton Bob Carlson, Bob Carlson, Max Benoist; Bernand Hunt, Bobby Pierce, Kirk McRee, Mary Alice McRee, S. L. Moorhead, Sherrill Webb and S. L. Norris

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Mrs. L. H. Cohn and infant daughter Margaret Ann of Baton Rouge, La. are visiting their parents and grandparents Mr. and Mrs. J. B. DuBois. Mrs. Cohn is remembered as Miss Maryanne Bailey.

Mrs. Dalton of Yazoo City visited her daughter Mrs Charles Calhoon and family last week, returning to her home early this week.

CIVIC IMPROVEMENT LEAGUE MET

The memoership of the Civic Improvement League met Wednesday, February 9. at the Woman's Club room in the Community House for a splendid meeting. Mrs. H. J. Ray Sr., president, presided.

The hostesses were Mesdames C. A. Perry, E. L. Betz, Rice Pressgrove Grover Long, J. E. Lufkin and Wm. Ames.

During the business session reports were given by the various "points" chairmen and the expense of project on the "Hamby Point", totaled $24.28 Plans were made for planting shrubs at the National Guard Armory, also at the municipal swimming pool. The league voted to have their annual covered dish picnic at Grenada Lake. Exact date to be announced later.

The hostesses decorated the club rooms with Valentines, a bouquet of red carnations and red tapers. They exchanged Valentines and a door prize, a bottle of cologne was won by Mrs. E. R. Proudfit. Refreshments of cherry tarts and coffee were served.

Miss Etolle Dubard, member of the faculty at Natchez Schools, spent the past weekend here with her mother, Mrs. Vassar Dubard.

Mrs. R. L. Nisbet, nee Vera Horn, returned to her home in New Albany last Wednesday after spending three weeks here at the bedside of her father Mr. J. H. Horn Sr. According to report, Mr. Horn, altho very feeble, shows progressive improvement.

Miss Bea Feltus spent the past week end to Tuesday, in Memphis with relatives

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Miss Courtney Tatum fell in her home Saturday and was taken to the Grenada Hospital for xray and treatment. She is reported as improving.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Z. Pryor are enjoying a motor trip south. They were on the Miss. Coast last week and in Florida this week.

J. Jennings who returned by plane from Los Angeles at 6 p. m., after a delightful visit with her grand daughter, Mrs. R. R. Lawton and Mr. Lawton. Mrs. Semmes who went to California with Mrs. Jennings remained for a longer visit.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Tate of Grenada who are now in Daytona, Fla. have purchased a tourist ccurt there and are remodeling it. Mr. Tate owns the Butane Gas System Co. here.

Mrs. Grady Rosser of Memphis visited her niece Miss Mary Elisabeth McNeil here earlier this week.

Mrs. Johnnie Mitchell and little daughter Roberta visited her sister and brother, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Townes in New Orleans the past week end through Tuesday and was accompanied home by Mrs. Bobby Townes and little daughter, Kathryn Allen, who will visit their mother, Mrs. R. B. Townes Jr. and Mrs. Ward Allen.

Misses Georgia and Lucille Cook, representing their firm, The Novelty Shop, attended a Spring showing of gift merchandise in Memphis, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. (Buddy) Martin have moved into their lovely new home on College Blvd. Mrs. Martin is the former Miss Grace Pryor and is manager of Sears local office. Mr. Martin is employed at J. H. Oliver and Company.

DAR SPRING LUNCHEON

The DAR Grenada Chapter, will hold their spring luncheon Friday, February 18 at 12:30 at the Monte Cristo. Members may invite 2 guests and are required to make their reservations with the following hostesses: Mrs. J. M. Brewer, Mrs. San. Simmons, Misses Fannie Lee Parker and Lida Owens. Relics of revolution ancestors will be on exhibit.

Norrell Noble returned to Camp Gordon, Ga. last Thursday after a 10 day visit here with his parents Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Noble.

Wade Rice entered Kennedy Hospital in Memphis last week for surgery and hopes to return home Wednesday or Thursday of this week. Mrs. Rice was with him most of the time.

Mr. and Mrs. Sammie Darras and 2 children of Chattanooga, Tenn. spent the past weekend here with their brother an sdister, Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Darras and family.

GRENADIANS FATHER PASSES

Sympathy is extended to Mrs. John Ed Carpenter in the death of her father, Mr. L. P. Arnold on Wednesday, Feb. 9 at his home at Long Beach, Calif. When notified of his death Mrs. Carpenter went to Memphis where she caught a plane for Calif. She will be away a week or 10 days. Mrs. Carpenter and her mother are the only survivors.

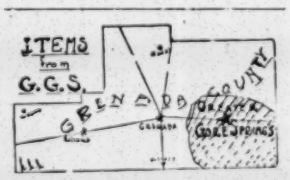
PILOTS ELECT PRESIDENT

Miss Edith Bell was elected president of the Pilots Club at the business meeting Thursday night, Feb. 10. Other officers elected were:

Mrs. George Criss, 1st v. p.; Mrs. Wade Rice 2nd v. p.; Mrs. Evelyn Dickinson, treasurer; Mrs. Mary Ida Parks, recording secretary; Mrs. W. E. Morris, corresponding secretary; Miss Kathleen Watson and Mrs. Marie Potera, Directors.

The out going president, Miss Mary Ella Collins, presided. It was voted that the club feed 5 Negro school children at the lunch room, for the remainder of the school year.

Miss Collins also announced the total sum of $2,234.73 collected by the Pilot Club for the 1954 Christmas Seal Sale. This is about $200 more than was collected in 1953.



Airman 1-c James R. Chamberlain arrived Tuesday from Bangor, Md. for an eight day visit with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Chamberlain and Janie and other relatives before reporting at Oklahoma City. Chamberlain received his present rating Feb. 12

Mrs. Will Marter Honored on 73rd Birthday

The children and grand children of Mrs. Will Marter honored her on February 8 when they met in her home and entertained at a surprise dinner celebating her 73rd birthday.

Present to enjoy this occasion with Mrs. Marter and her husband were Mrs. James Trussell, Mrs. Grady Marter, Batesville; Mr. and Mrs. Wade Peeples, Ernest Marter, Clara Marter Sweatman; Mrs. P. M. Clanton, Clifford Marter, Shirley Marter, Gore Springs; Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Phillips, Grenada.

Mrs. Clanton Honors Daughter

Mrs. Jack Clanton entertained at dinner Feb. 11 at her home in honor of Susy's third birthday.

To enjoy this happy occasion with the little honoree and to see her blow out the three candles on the beautiful cake were grandparents Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Clanton; her aunt Katie Sue Clanton, Webster County; Mr. and Mrs. Homer Trussell and Homer Dale Trussell, Gore Springs.

The Home Demonstration Club met Thursday, Feb. 10 in the club room with president, Mrs. Arnold Dyre, presiding. Mrs. W. M. Rook led in the devotional period and secretary, Mrs. J. L. Moore read the January minutes. Members answered roll call with 'my favorite song'. The educational topic "Trails" was given by Mrs. Hiram Davis.

Mrs. Dyre announced that Gore Springs club had been chosen by the H. D. county council to be hostess to the Better Homes tour this spring.

Homes, gardens and places of interest were selected.

Mrs. O. D. Spratlin and Mrs. Hiram Davis served refreshments.

During a recent visit with Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Gillon, Mrs. Belle James of Grenada was stricken ill and has been receiving treatment in Grenada Hospital for several days. Her many friends wish for her an early, complete recovery

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Mr. and Mrs. Guy Moore of Rudyard were guests Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Moore

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Mrs. Reece Griffin and daughter Valleria of McComb spent last week with their parents and grandparents Mr. and Mrs. P. R. McMahan.

One Candle Glowed for Jerilou James

Little Jerilou James celebrated her first birthday on February 10, when her mother entertained in her home at a dinner for members of the family.

The little girl received several gifts and was happy over the one candle glowing on the white angel food cake, decorated especially for her.

Mrs. Bertha Williams was present at dinner Sunday honoring her sister Mrs. John H. Brown on her 94th birthday, in Mrs. Brown's home in Sallis. Other relatives from Bolivar, Tennessee, Greenwood and Sallis visited Mrs. Brown on htat day.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Rose and daughter Patricia of Greenwood were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Shaw. On Sunday Mrs. Jack Gary and children of Eupora, Rt. 3 visited in the Shaw home.

First and Second Grades Entertained at Valentine Party

Members of the first and second grades were honored at a surprise Valentine party early Monday morning in their class room by room mothers. Mrs. O. D. Spratlin Sr. and Mrs. Earl Gillon. From a table covered with a bright cloth the hostesses served heart shaped cookies and red punch. Several children brought candy, cookies and pop corn because it was Valentine day and these were served.

Their teacher, Mrs. Howard Rose passed out the valentines, previously deposited in a large box by the children.

NOTICE OF BOND ELECTION

Grenada Municipal Separate School District of Grenada County, Mississippi

Notice is hereby given to the qualified electors of the Grenada Municipal Separate School District of Grenada County, Mississippi, that a special election will be held in said District on

Saturday, the 12th day of March, 1955 for the purpose of submitting to the qualified electors of said School District the following proposition:

Proposition

Shall the Grenada Municipal Separate School District of Grenada County, Mississippi, issue its bonds in the principal amount of Three Hundred Seventy-five Thousand Dollars ($375,000) to raise money for the purpose of erecting, repairing, equipping, remodeling, and enlarging school buildings and related facilities, and establishing and equipping a school athletic field and necessary facilities connected therewith, and purchasing land for the aforesaid purposes?

The said election will be held at the New Elementary School Building on Line Street, in said District.

The polls of said election shall be opened at 7 o'clock in the morning and shall be kept open until 6 o'clock in the evening of the aforesaid date, and the said election shall be held and conducted, as far as practicable, in accordance with the laws regulating general elections in the State of Mississippi and in the City of Grenada.

All qualified electors of said Municipal Separate School District will be entitled to vote in the said election.

By order of the Board of Mayor and Councilmen of the City of Grenada, Mississippi, this 14th day of February, 1955.

Clara B. Criss, City Recorder.
2-17, 24; 3-3, 10 255w

Executrix's Notice To Creditors

Letters Testamentary having been issued and granted to the undersigned as Executrix of the Last Will and Testament of W. H. Kirk, deceased, on the 12th day of February, 1955, by the Chancery Court of Grenada County, Mississippi, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate to have same probated and registered with the Clerc of said Court within six months from this date, or they will be forever barred.

This the 12th day of February, 1955

Mrs. Inez J. Kirk, Executrix.
2-17, 24; 3-3 90w

JITNEY–JUNGLE RECIPE OF THE WEEK

PEANUT AND CARROT SALAD

2 cups grated carrots
1 cup ground peanuts
1 tablespoon grated onion
one-half teaspoon salt
one-half cup Mayonnaise
Lettuce or chicory
1 tomato cut into thin wedges

Combine carrots, peanuts, onion, salt and mayonnaise. Mix lightly and serve on crisp lettuce. Garnish with tomato wedges. Serves 6.

JITNEY–JUNGLE

Al Gully, Owner — Grenada, Miss.

PROGRAM – GRENADA THEATRE

Last Day — Friday, February 18

"TAZA, SON OF COCHISE"
Rock Hudson, Barbara Rush. Cartoon — News

Saturday, February 19, 1 to 10 p. m.

Also Disney cartoon Carnival" - Chap. 8 "Buffalo Bill"

OWL SHOW SATURDAY NIGHT 10 P. M.
ALSO SUNDAY 2 & 4 P. M. AND MONDAY

AS GREAT AS ITS GREAT, GREAT CAST!
HUMPHREY BOGART
AUDREY HEPBURN
WILLIAM HOLDEN
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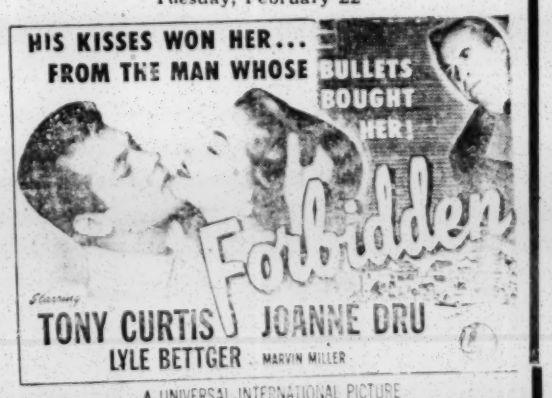
SUNDAY NIGHT PREVIEW — 8:45 P. M. — Also
Tuesday, February 22



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Cartoon & News

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 23

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Released thru United Artists
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Thursday — Friday, February 24—25

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DANGEROUS MISSION
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PIPER LAURIE
WILLIAM BENDIX
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"Grenada County News A Specialty" - Grenada County Weekly Grenada, Mississippi, Thursday, February 17, 1955

Delayed from Last Week

Mr. and Mrs. Thad Campbell, Nora and Gerald Campbell of Grenada were guests at dinner Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Gillon and grandfather Mr. Campbell.

The many friends of Mr. Jim Rose and son Howard Rose regret their illness and wish for them an early complete recovery. Mr. Rose expects to enter a Memphis Hospital Sunday for medical treatment and surgery. His son is suffering from the flu.

Mr. and Mrs. Buford Martin attended funeral services for the mother of Mrs. Alton Martin who passed away in a Memphis hospital last Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Alton Martin have many relatives and friends here who extend their sympathy in this hour of sorrow.

The father of Quinton Neville died February 3 in his home at Rock Mt., Va. following a long illness. Mr. Neville previously had visited for a week with homefolks and was not present at the time of his father's death. Mr. Neville is the son in law of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Mitchell.

Know Your Own Heart

1. What causes coronary heart disease? Arteriosclerosis, the hardening and narrowing of arteries supplying blood to the heart.

2. What is coronary thrombosis? Blockage of a coronary artery by a clot on the vessel lining.

3. What is an embolism? When a blood clot within a vessel breaks loose and travels to another location, it is called an embolism.

4. What is angina pectoris? Pain behind the breastbone usually resulting from arteriosclerosis.

5. Are there warnings before a heart attack? Usually a patient has earlier pain, heaviness or tightness behind the breastbone.

6. How can I help a heart patient resume normal life? Ask your Mississippi Heart association to advise you.

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Betty Rose Middleton Is Five

In celebration of Betty Rose's fifth birthday her mother Mrs. G. H. Middleton entertained with a party on February 4th in her home.

Her guests were directed in playing of games by her sister Lynne Middleton. They sang "Happy Birthday to Betty Rose". Over-come with joy the little honoree opened the gifts presented her and thanked the guests for their kindness. They each had previously received party favors. The merry group were served ice cream and slices from the green and pink birthday cake. They watched TV program "Howdy Doody" before leaving for their homes.

Mrs. James Shaw was called Friday to the bedside of her father, Mr. Homer Blanton who is critically ill in his home near Ackerman. She was accompanied by Mr. Shaw and little daughter, Rubye. At this writing, his condition shows no improvement.

Received Too Late Last Week

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Howard James and Mr. and Mrs. Frank James and son were: Mr. and Mrs. Mungo McCuiston and daughter of Sweatman; Harry Phillips, Holcomb; Mr. and Mrs. John Mack James of Grenada, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ray Tyner, Canton; and Peggy Hairald of Holmes Jr. College and Grenada.

Attend J. E. Shaw Funeral

Among out of community people attending funeral services for J. E. Shaw, Sr. were: C. W. Spencer, Fallullah, La.; E. D. Rose, Austin, Texas; H. C. Bradford Sr., Lepanto, Ark.; T. U. Rose, Winona; Walter Emmanuel Sr., Memphis; Mrs. C. H. Shaw, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Honeycutt, Mrs. Rubye Carpenter, H. J. Ray, Mrs. Robert Shaw, Mrs. E. E. Chapman, Mrs. Robert Cohea, Mrs. Bob Clanton, Grenada; Mr. and Mrs. Ed Holcomb, Mr. and Mrs. William Holcomb, Rev. J. E. Richardson, Mr. Milton Rose, Mrs. Mable Morehead, Mrs. Lafue Fite, Mrs. Rubye Hayden, Holcomb; Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Mallory, Mrs. Reuben Swindall, Mr. Bob Davis, E. A. Bingham, Calhoun City; J. T. Davis, Ellis McCord, Moore Denton, Claud Denton, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wright, J. C. Shaw, Henry Shaw, Mr. Sam Walton, Roscoe Davis Mr. and Mrs. Walter Black, Slates Springs.

Rufus Doolittle, Eupora; Mrs. Will Hicks, Bellefountaine; Oris Pittman Tomnolen.

Webb Ray, husband of the former Mildred McWhorter is critically ill in his home in St. Mary, Ga. Mr. Ray has been ill several months, having spent much of this time in an Atlanta hospital.

Rev. J. A. McCain of Miss. College and pastor of Providence Church arrived with his family Saturday to visit Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Trusty Sr. They were guests Sunday at dinner fo Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bowen and family.

Know Your Own Heart

1. What is rheumatic fever? A disease sometimes following strep infection, affecting heart, blood vessels, joints, skin or brain.

2. Who gets it? Usually children age 5-15 years. Some adults.

3. What are symptoms? Persistent fever, sore joints, poor appetite, weight loss, nosebleed, fatigue.

4. How can I tell if my child has rheumatic fever? Don't try, let your doctor be the judge.

5. What is rheumatic heart disease? Inflammation and scarring of heart muscle and valves in 1 out of 3 rheumatic fever patients.

6. Are rheumatic heart disease deaths decreasing? The death rate has dropped 75 per cent in 35 years thanks to research.

7. Who can help fight rheumatic fever? You can, your Mississippi Heart association will help you.

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BIG HEART SCENE PREVIEWED

Lucille Ball and Desi Arnaz, National Co-Chairmen of Heart Fund Volunteers, stage a preview of a scene which will become a familiar one throughout the country on Heart Sunday, February 20. Lucille, wearing a Heart Fund Volunteer's badge, hands a Heart Sunday collection envelope to husband Desi. The nation-wide house-to-house Heart Sunday collection will be a highlight of the Heart Fund drive, which is to be conducted throughout February.

In accepting the appointment, Lucille and Desi said:

"We are proud and happy to have a part in this national crusade against diseases of the heart and circulation. As parents we are keenly aware of the fact that more than a half million children are affected by the heart diseases in this country, and as Americans we want to do our part toward helping to solve the nation's leading health problem.

"We sincerely wish that many hundreds of thousands of others will join us in volunteering their services for the 1955 Heart Fund, and that the Heart Sunday campaign will meet with the fullest measure of success.

"Most of all we hope that the efforts of Heart Fund volunteers will be appreciated by the millions of Americans who will be asked to support the Heart Fund and that everyone will remember this appeal: 'Welcome your Heart Fund Volunteer on Heart Sunday, February 20.'"

This will be the third year in which the popular stars of "I Love Lucy" have gone all-out for the Heart Fund. Apart from their active role in the national campaign, they have contributed their talents to the production of numerous radio, television and motion picture appeals for the Heart Fund.

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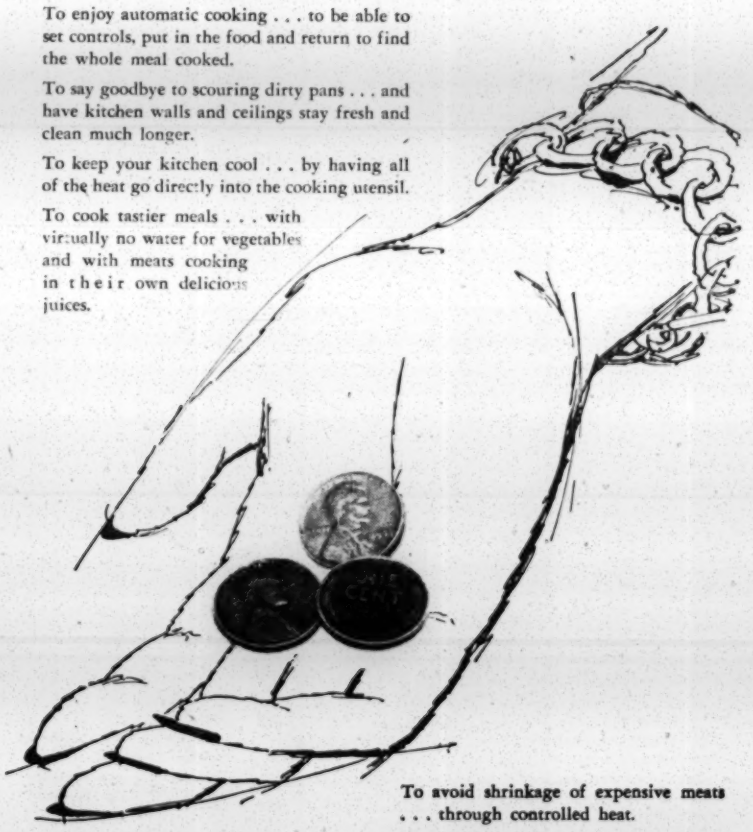

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United States District Court for the Northern District of Mississippi, Western Division
United States of America, Plaintiff
Vs. Number 509 Civil
Certain Mineral Interest in 7,834.33 Acres of land, more or less, in Grenada, Calhoun and Yalobusha Counties, Mississippi, Connecticut General Life Insurance Company, et al., Defendants

NOTICE

To: J. D. Gwin
Mary Jane Newson,
Nancy Cavett Newsom,
Mary Etta Newsom,
J. R. Lockhart,
G. W. Ligon,
John A. Ek,
W. B. Nichols
George C. Brown and Company,
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C. B. Lynch
Cecil E. Jones
J. P. Pressgrove
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F. R. McLean
P. J. Aylward
D. G. Love
Laura T. Burnett
Charles P. Burnett
Green Burnett
Joshua Green III
Frances S. Green
Ed Spencer
Dr. J. Ralph Hamilton
H. R. Woffard
Unknown heirs of B. D. Newsom, deceased
Unknown heirs of R. A. Creekmore, deceased
Unknown Owners.

Your are hereby notified that a complaint in condemnation has heretofore been filed in the office of the clerk of the above-named court in an action to condemn the subordination of all rights, title, and interest in and to all mineral rights outstanding in the land to the prior rights of the United States in connection with the construction, operation, and maintenance of the Grenada Dam and Reservoir Project, providing that any exploration or development of said mineral rights shall be subject to Federal or State Laws with respect to the pollution of waters of the reservoir and providing further that the District Engineer, Corps of Engineers, Vicksburg, Mississippi, or his duly authorized representative shall approve in furtherance of the exploration and-or development of such rights the type of any structure and-or appurtenances thereto now existing or to be erected or constructed in connection with such exploration and-or development, said structures and-or appurtenances thereto not to be of a material determined to create floatable debris, and providing further in Tract No. 10 that any such exploration, development, production, or removal of said minerals shall be conducted by drilling or boring operations only, and that no drilling or boring operations shall be permitted within 2,000 feet of either toe of the Dam constructed thereon or within 500 feet of any building or other structure situated thereon for use in connection with the project. The property is described in the Exhibit A attached hereto and made a part hereof for public use in connection with the construction, operation and maintenance of the Grenada Dam and Reservoir Project.

The authority for the taking is under and in accordance with the Act of Congress approved May 15, 1928 (45 Stat. 536) as amended by the Act of June 15, 1936 (49 Stat. 1508) and acts supplementary thereto and amendatory thereof; the Act of Congress approve April 24, 1888 (33 U. S. C. 591) and the Act of Congress approved March 1, 1917, as amended (33 U. S. C. 701, et seq.); Section 5 of the River and Harbor Act approved July 18, 1918 (33 U. S. C. 594), and Section 6 of the Flood Control Act approved August 18, 1941 (33 U. S. C. 701c-2) authorizing the United States to take immediate possession of the interest condemned; and the Civil Functions Appropriation Act, 1953, approved July 11, 1952 (Public Law 504 - 82nd Congress) appropriating funds to acquire the interests under consideration.

You are further notified that if you have any objection or defense to the taking of your property you are required to serve upon plaintiff's attorney at the address herein designated within twenty days after March 3, 1955, an answer identifying the property in which you claim to have an interest, stating the nature and extent of the interest claimed and stating all your objections and defenses to the taking of your property. A failure so to serve an answer shall constitute a consent to the taking and to the authority of the court to proceed to hear the action and to fix the just compensation and shall constitute a waiver of all defenses and objections not so presented.

Your are further notified that if you have no objection or defense to the taking you may serve upon plaintiff's attorney a notice of appearance designating the property in which you claim to be interested, and thereafter you shall receive notice of all proceedings affecting the said property.

You are further notified that at the trial of the issue of just compensation, whether or not you have answered or served a notice of appearance, you may present evidence as to th amount of the compensation to be paid for the property in which you have any interest and you may share in the distribution of the award of compensation.

THOMAS R. ETHRIDGE,
United States Attorney
-s- Dwayne L. Hale
By DWAYNE L. HALE,
Assistant United States Attorney,
Box 191, Oxford, Mississippi
Dated February 9, 1955.

SCHEDULE "A"

TRACT NO. 10

A tract or parcel of land lying and being situated in the S½ of section 20, the S½ of section 21, the N½ and SW¼ of Section 28, the E½E½ and SW¼SE¼ of section 29, and the N½ N½ of section 32, township 23 north, range 5 east, in Grenada County, Mississippi, described in three parcels as follows: 10-1F containing 654.16 acres, more or less; of which 157.41 acres are in section 20, 238.75 acres are in section 21, 225.81 acres are in section 28, and 32.10 acres are in section 29; 10-2F containing 26.28 acres, more or less; of which 3.73 are in section 29 and 22.55 acres are in section 32; and 10-3F containing 4.69 acres, more or less; of which 0.87 acre is in section 29 and 3.82 acres are in section 32. The tract or parcel of land herein described contains in the aggregate 685.13 acres, more or less.

TRACT NO. A-52

A tract or parcel of land comprising the NW¼NE¼ and the south 10 acres of even width of the NE¼NE¼ of section 11, township 22 north, range 5 east, in Grenada County, Mississippi; LESS AND EXCEPT THEREFROM a parcel of land owned by the African Methodist Church, containing less said exception 48.3 acres, more or less.

TRACT NO. B-172

The E½E½NE¼ and NW¼NE¼NE¼ of section 9, township 22 north, range 6 east, in Grenada County, Mississippi, containing 49.2 acres, more or less.

TRACT NO. B-175

The N½NW¼ of section 4, township 22 north, range 6 east, in Grenada County, Mississippi, containing 84.4 acres, more or less.

TRACT NO. B-176

Thhe W½W½, E½SW¼, and S½SE¼NW¼ of section 33, township 23 north, range 6 east, in Grenada County, Mississippi, containing 261.1 acres, more or less.

TRACT NO. C-201

A tract or parcel of land comprising the NW¼NW¼ of section 26, the E½SW¼, and S½NW¼ of section 27, the NE¼SE¼ of section 28, and the NE¼ and NE¼NW¼ of section 34, all in township 23 north, range 6 east, in Grenada County, Mississippi, containing 943.8 acres, more or less, of which 40.2 acres are in section 26, 562.1 acres are in section 27, 40.0 acres are in section 28, and 201.5 acres are in section 34.

TRACT NO. C-206

A tract or parcel of land lying and being situated in the north part of the N½NE¼ of section 26, township 23 north, range 6 east, in Grenada County, Mississippi, containing 1.0 acre, more or less.

TRACT NO. C-223

She SE¼ of section 29 and the NE¼ of section 32, township 23 north, range 7 east, in Grenada County, Mississippi containing 319.5 acres, more or less, of which 159.5 acres are in section 29, and 160.0 acres are in section 32.

TRACT NO. C-229

A tract or parcel of land lying and being situated south of the Yalobusha River in the N½SE¼ of section 31, township 23 north, range 7 east, in Grenada County, Mississippi containing 69.4 acres, more or less.

TRACT NO. C-255

A tract or parcel of land lying and being situated in the NW¼ of section 35 and the S½ and SE¼NW¼ of section 34, in township 23 north, range 6 east, in the W½ and W½E½ of section 3, the S½SE¼ and NE¼-SE¼ of section 9, in the W½ and SE¼ of section 10, and the NE¼ and E½SE¼ of section 1', all in township 22 north, range 6 east, in Grenada County, Mississippi, briefly described by sections as follows:

Section 35 - The NW¼, containing 161.3 acres, more or less.

Section 34 - The SE¼NW¼, the SE¼, the E½SW¼, and that part of the W½SW¼, containing 324.1 acres, more or less.

Section 3 - The W½ and W½E½ containing 506.2 acres, more or less.

Section 9 - containing 85.1 acres, more or less.

Section 10 - The W½ and the SE¼ containing 473.4 acres, more or less.

Section 15 - The NE¼ and the E½ SE¼, containing 238.6 acres, more or less.

The tract or parcel of land herein described contains in the aggregate 1,787.7 acres, more or less.

TRACT NO. C-256

The N½SE¼NE¼ of section 33 and the W½NW¼ of section 34, township 23 north, range 6 east, in Grenada County, Mississippi, containing $100.3 acres more or less, of which 20.1 acres rae in section 33 and 80.2 acres are in section 34.

TRACT NO. C-262

A tract or parcel of land comprisnig the NE¼ of section 18, the NW¼-NW¼ and the W½SW¼ of section 11, and the W½ NW¼ of section 14, township 22 north, range 6 east, in Grenada County, Mississippi, containing 355.9 acres more or less, of which 157.8 acres are in section 10, 118.6 acres are in section 11, and 79.5 acres are in section 14.

TRACT NO. C-266

A tract or parcel of land lying and being situated north of Mississippi State Highway No. 8 in the E½NE¼ of section 1, township 22 north, range 6 east, in Grenada County, Mississippi, containing 58.4 acres, more or less.

NRACO NO. C-286

The S½NE¼SW¼, the SE¼SW¼ and the SW¼SE¼ of section 7, township 22 north, range 7 east, in Grenada" County, Mississippi, containing 99.8 acres more or less.

TRACT NO. D-355

A tract or parcel of land comprising the S½NE¼ and the E½ NE¼-SE¼ of section 3, and the W½NE¼, the SE¼SW¼, the E½ SW¼SW¼, the NW¼SW¼, and part of NE¼-SW¼ of section 2, located in township 22 north, range 7 east, in Grenada County, Mississippi, containing 314.0 acres, more or less, of which 214.2 acres are in section 2 and 99.8 acres are in section 3.

TRACT NO. D-365

A tract or parcel of land lying and being situated in the S½SE¼ of section 36, township 23 north, range 7 east, in the E½ and SE¼ SW¼ of section 1, and in the NE¼, N½SE¼, and E½ NW¼ of sectino 12, township 22 north, range 7 east, in Grenada County, Mississippi, containing 652.2 acres more or less, of which 13.4 acres, more or less, are in Section 36; 351.0 acres, more or less, in Section 1; and 287.8 acres, more or less, in section 12.

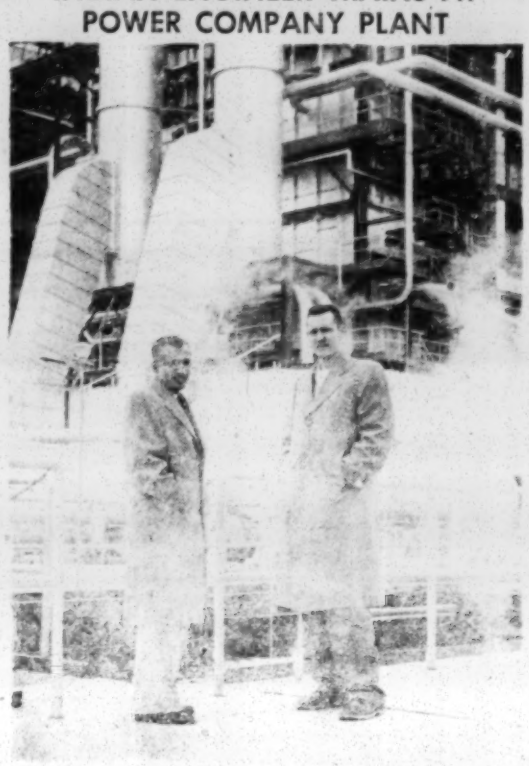
2-17 24; 3-5 1800w

Margin Street is getting to be a regular Cadillac row. I noted Julia Lake driving a pretty one Monday. Pretty gal, pretty car. I tried a Cadillac, but it did not take.

Ige Solar of New York City and Mrs. T. H. Richardson of Grenada, both paid their dues.

Thanks to Mrs. Belle James for her check.

INDIAN ENGINEER TRAINS AT POWER COMPANY PLANT



G. M. GANDHI, left, a Bombay India engineer, pauses on a tour of Mississippi Power & Light Company's Delta Steam Electric Station, conducted by D. C. Lutken, plant superintendent. Mr. Gandhi is receiving training in this country preparatory to returning to India where his company will construct its first steam plant in its hydroelectric system.

G. M. Gandhi, an Indian engineer, has just completed two weeks training at Mississippi Power & Light Company's Delta Steam Electric Station near Cleveland. Under the sponsorship of the United Nations' Technical Assistance Administration, Mr. Gandhi visited the plant to observe the operation and maintenance of the central control panel and automatic boiler controls at the plant, which are among the most modern in the country.

A graduate of the University of Bombay and Indian Institute of Science, Mr. Gandhi worked with the Hydro Electric Power Commission of Ontario for five months before coming to this country for further training. The experience he gains here will be put to use when he returns to India.

As a testing engineer for Tata Hydro Companies, Ltd. he will make recommendations and coordinate activities, based on his observations here, of the company's first steam electric station, which is to be constructed soon.

Prior to visiting Mississippi Power & Light Company's modern new plant he had taken courses offered by such manufacturers as Leeds & Northrup and Bailey Meter Company and had observed operations at Houston Lighting & Power Company.

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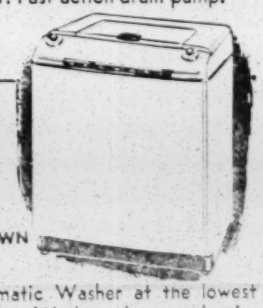

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FOR SALE

New Members Of National Honor Society At GHS

(Photo by Alexander)

At a regular chapel program at John Rundle High School last Wednesday, the National Honor Society, sponsored by Miss Hattie Hammond, welcomed nine new members. Present members, Shirley Stoker, Nell Rose Bain, Gerald Leverette and Alma Dubaid conducted the impressive service of installation with Supt. J. C. Hathorn also participating. New members are Sam Caruthers, Richard Forbes, Judy Lake, Linda Miles, Margaret Mithell, Mamie Willingham, Helen Louise Kimbrough, Velma Lott and Camille Shephard.

Left to right, seated: Velma Lott, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Lott, Margaret Mitchell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Archie Mitchell; Judy Lake, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Lake Helen Kimbrough, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Orman Kimbrough, Shirley Stoker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Stoker, Nell Rose Bain, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Bain, and Camille Shephard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Shephard.

Standing, left to right: Gerald Leverette, son of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Leverette, Mamie Willingham, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Willingham, Sam Caruthers, son of Dr. and Mrs. Sam Caruthers, Linda Miles, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Miles, Richard Forbes, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Forbes, Alma Maxine Dubard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Dubard, and Miss Hattie Hammond, sponsor.

Mr. Jim Young, Route No. 4, Aberdeen, Mississippi, Monroe County, is happy because he made a good corn crop last year in spite of the drouth. Mr. Young used a good adapted hybrid, good cultural practices and proper fertilization.

Mississippi agricultural workers are promoting a 50,000,000 Bushel Corn Contest in Mississippi this year. The contest is designed to encourage Mississippi farmers to increase corn production as a supplemental cash crop to offset losses from reduced cotton acreage.

Mississippi's corn needs are 43,000,000 bushels, and we produced [illegible] bushels. This is 16,000,000 [illegible] short of the state's needs [illegible] figured at $1.50 per bushel, [illegible] that the Mississippi farmers [illegible] needs $24,000,000 last year. To meet these needs farmers will have to raise the yield from 20 bu. per acre to approximately 50 bu. per acre by using recommended practices, adapted hybrids and good cultural practices.

Funk's G-710A is the hybrid that Mr. Young is so well pleased with. Funk's G-710A is a new yellow hybrid for the north Mississippi farmers. It has excellent standability and stalk quality which makes it an ideal picker corn. Funk's G-711 as a yellow hybrid, with its big, girthy ears, and Funk's G-779W as a high yielding white hybrid have been favorites for the north Mississippi farmers for a long time.

Stocking up the tree planter, furnished by ICRR, with pine seedlings to be planted on 40-acre Tree Farm awarded Ray R. Keys by Miss. Forestry Association. Pictured left to right in front row is Garland Brown, Area Forester, Mississippi Forestry Commission; Jason Kutack, Conservation Forester, International Paper Co. sitting on planter; Bill May, Forester, ICRR is tractor driver. In the back row left to right is Monroe James Forester, Southern Package Corp., Ray R. Keys, Tree Farm Owner; and Frank Pittman; Executive Secretary, Miss. Forestry Ass'n. The man standing at far left is holding a hand planter used to plant seedlings on open land not practical for machine planting.

Alva News Items

(By Mrs. Cora Ingram)

We are glad to report that Mrs. L. C. Cohea is improved.

Rev. Wesley Youngblood filled the pulpit at Methodist Church on the regular appointment last Sunday. He was a dinner guest in the home of Mr. Jack James.

Mrs. Alvin Neal of Senatobia is now visiting her father, Mr. L. L. Sledge and they visited Patty at Grenada Hospital Sunday.

Rev. Youngblood visited in the J. W. Vance home last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jewel Patridge and family from the delta have been visiting in the homes of Claud and Earlwayne Patridge.

The Grover Ingram and Earlwayne Patridge families are enjoying a new TV set.

We welcome Mr. and Mrs. Ted Ingram and son to our village. They reside in the teachers home.

Mr. Everett Wood came home Tuesday after a stay in a Jackson hospital. He is doing fine after having had 2 operations.

M. B. Wood of Memphis spent Wednesday here with home folks.

The X. L. Swindall family of Winona visited relatives here Sunday.

Sunday visitors of the Dewitt Funderburg family were members of the J. C. Funderburg family of Elliott.

Weekend visitors in the Glover Ingram home were the Otis Ingram family of Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Winfred Hightower and baby of Macon visited Mrs. Dora Hightower Sunday.

Rev. Paul Widdle delivered two splendid sermons at the Baptist Church Sunday. He and his wife were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Swindall.

Messrs Willie and Emmitt Macon of Slates Springs and Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell have visited in the J. W. Vance home recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Neal were Sunday visitors with Mrs. Pearl Neal. Mr. Neal went to Grenada Monday for medical aid.

Notice To Dealers In Trucks

Sealed bids are hereby invited by the Board of Mayor and Councilmen of the City of Grenada, Mississippi, for the sale to said City of one truck described as follows:

One 1½ ton truck with chassis and cab and with suitable frame for mounting thereon the body on the present Street Department truck, which said new truck will replace. This change of bodies to be done at the expense of successful bidder.

The new truck to be equipped with eight (8) ply 750 x 20 tires with dual wheels on the rear, motor to be equipped with oil filter, oil bath, air cleaner and gasoline filter. Other equipment to be standard.

The City will trade thereon one 1½ ton 1949 model Chevrolet truck with cab and chassis and said bids are to be so drawn that they will show the cost of the new truck, the allowance to the City for the trade-in and the difference. The truck the City will trade can be inspected at any time by appointment with City Engineer, Mr. W. H. Crowder.

Bidders are reminded that the City pays no State sales tax or Federal Excise taxes and bids should exclude same.

Said bids are to be sealed and marked "Bid on Truck" and turned over to the City Clerk of said City by 7:30 P. M., March 14th, 1955 at the City Hall in said City at which time and place said bids are to be opened.

The City reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

This the 15th day of Februry, 1955.

R. A. Clanton, Mayor.

Attest: Clara B. Criss, City Clerk.

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NOTICE OF LAND SALE

State of Mississippi, Grenada County

Notice is hereby given that, pursuant to a decree of the Chancery Court of Grenada County, Mississippi, in Cause No. 9256 styled by Mrs. Maurine McCoy Kupfner vs. J. N. McCoy, et al, entered in vacation on December 13, 1954 and now of record in the minutes of decrees of said court, in Minute Book M, page 41, the undersigned as Special Commissioner under the terms of said decree will expose to sale and will sell at public outcry to the highest and best bidder for cash, at the East or front door of the Court House in said county, in Grenada, Mississippi, within legal hours on the 26 day of February 1955, the following described land and property, located in Grenada County, to-wit:

"All that part of SE¼ of NE¼ of Section 15, Township 21 North, Range 5 East, lying west of the I. C. Railroad right-of-way, less 10 acres owned by J. T. Gant and less 18 acres conveyed by James C. Horton to J. G. Thomas and less the portion thereof conveyed for road purposes as a part of Highway No. 51, the property herein described consisting of ten (10) acres, more or less, and being all the property in said Section conveyed by E. L. Austin and wife to James C. Horton by deed recorded in Book 55, page 377, less the part containing 18 acres conveyed by said James C. Horton to J. G. Thomas on December 19, 1922, and less said portion consisting of right-of-way for said Highway No. 51.

The above being the property that was conveyed by C. E. Bain to said Mrs. J. N. McCoy, by deed April 13, 1942, and recorded in the land records of said county in Book LL, page 599.

1 acre square in the southwest corner of SE¼ of NE¼ of Sect. 15 Township 21 North, Range 5 East, lying west of the I. C. Railroad right-of-way, excepted in deed by within named Grantor (C. E. Bain), said deed appearing of record in Book LL, page 599.

The above being the property that was conveyed by C. E. Bain to said Mrs. J. N. McCoy, by deed dated July 12, 1943, and recorded in the land records of said county in Book MM, page 33.

A part of Section 15, Township 21 North, Range 5 East, described as beginning at a point where the land of Grantor and land of McCoy's intersect, on Highway No. 51, and run thence North with the west right-of-way of said highway 118 yards to a telegraph pole, thence Northwesterly 90 yards to a farm road, thence along the southwest line of said road 140 yards, to the corner of Grantors land and the Bennett land, thence South 13 yards to land of Grantee, and thence Southeasterly to point of beginning, being 3½ acres, more or less.

The above being the property that was conveyed by R. E. Carpenter to said Mrs. J. N. McCoy, by deed dated January 7, 1946, and recorded in the land records of said county in Book 85, page 311.

Less and except, however, from above described lands the parcel of land that all of within heirs of said Mrs. J. N. McCoy sold and conveyed to J. L. Woods on November 12, 1952, as shown by deed to said Woods of record in Book 103, page 571.

The above being and including all land that the said Mrs. J. N. McCoy (being the same person as Mrs. Sarah McCoy) died seized and possessed of, whether fully described or not; less and except the parcel so conveyed to said J. L. Woods by all the said heirs of said Mrs. McCoy."

The said property is being sold for purposes of partitioning among the owners thereof, according to the terms of above decree, and the title is believed to be good; but I will convey only such title as is vested in me as said commissioner.

Witness my signature on this the 31st day of January 1955.

BYRON HUNTER, Chancery Clerk and Special Commissioner.

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